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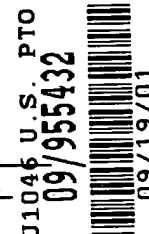
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For: ION-CONDUCTIVE COMPOSITION, GEL ELECTROLYTE, NON-AQUEOUS
ELECTROLYTE BATTERY, AND ELECTRICAL DOUBLE-LAYER CAPACITOR

Enclosed are:

- ✓X A specification consisting of 66 pages
✓X 4 sheet(s) of Formal drawings
✓X An assignment of the invention - \$40.00 Recording Fee
Certified copy of Priority Document(s)
✓X Executed Declaration X Original Photocopy
Applicant claims small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27
Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.76

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